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Upper Intermediate Student’s Book

Life

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**1** World leaders are meeting in Geneva tomorrow to discuss the issue of overpopulation.

**2** In the next few weeks, the government is going to introduce a fee for each child that couples have after their first two children.

**3** Scientists say that space colonies will be the only solution for overpopulation in the medium term.

**4** Doctors have said that in future they are not going to spend so much effort keeping the old alive.

**5** The government will launch a new education programme later today to encourage women to have fewer children.

**6** People will have to change their lifestyles if they want the world’s resources to support the growing population in the coming years.